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(SBU) Mark Lyall Grant and Sherard Cowper-Coles' offices appreciated reftel update and the USG's support for a broad-based approach to the April 17 Pakistan donors conference in Tokyo. In a separate conversation, FCO Pakistan Team leader Laura Hickey told poloff on March 16 that the UK plans to demarche attendee capitals on providing assistance to Pakistan the week of March 23. Over the next week, the UK hopes to identify specific assistance needs for other donors to consider, using its demarches to lobby other governments to fill specific gaps in assistance.

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